

# **State and Tribal Opportunities for Engagement**

## **2009 NPM Guidance and Annual Commitments Process**

The following are the key milestones relevant to states and tribes in the 2009 NPM Guidance and annual commitment processes.

### **FY 2009 Commitment Negotiation**

#### **March - July, 2008:**

- ☐ Regions engage NPMs, states, and tribes in determining FY 2009 draft regional performance commitments.

#### **July 14, 2008:**

- ☐ FY 2009 draft annual regional commitments are posted on EPA Quickplace site for state and tribal review. Regions engage with NPMs, states, and tribes to determine final FY 2009 regional performance commitments.

#### **September 5, 2008:**

- ☐ State and tribal comment period on draft commitments ends.

### **NPM Guidance Documents Review**

#### **February 25 – March 31, 2008:**

- ☐ Draft FY 2009 NPM Guidance with summary of changes and draft FY 2009 measures posted on OCFO's internet webpage.
- ☐ Regions, states, and tribes provide comments on Draft FY 2009 NPM Guidance.

#### **April 28, 2008:**

- ☐ Final FY 2009 NPM Guidance, measures, and supporting documents posted on OCFO's internet webpage.

### **Measures Review and Streamlining**

#### **November 9 - 16, 2007:**

- ☐ States comment on FY 2008 Grant measures and make recommendations for FY 2009. These are provided to OCFO. OCFO will forward comments to appropriate NPMs.

#### **November 19 – Mid December 2007:**

- ☐ NPMs (with LRCs) share initial list of proposed FY09 measures for comment with Agency and receive comments on proposed measures. (Option for State review of grant measures if necessary/in discussion)

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- ☐ Regions, states, and tribes provide comments on Draft FY 2009 NPM Guidance.